

By Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico:

H.R. 3502. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to improve nutrition in tribal areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. MCSALLY (for herself, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. LOUDERMILK, and Mr. BARLETTA):

H.R. 3503. A bill to require an assessment of fusion center personnel needs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. BABIN, Mr. BROOKS of Alabama, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. JONES, Mr. PERRY, Mr. RATCLIFFE, Mr. SMITH of Missouri, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. YOHIO):

H. Res. 417. A resolution impeaching Regina McCarthy, Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, for high crimes and misdemeanors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas (for herself and Mr. HASTINGS):

H. Res. 418. A resolution expressing support for designation of the week of September 15, 2015, through September 21, 2015, as "Balance Awareness Week"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

122. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, recognizing the 50th anniversary of the Older Americans Act of 1965, affirming the Legislature's continuing support for the goals of the act, and to memorialize the United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate to reauthorize the act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

123. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 23, commemorating the 43rd anniversary of the enactment of Title IX, and urging Californians to continue to work together to achieve the goals set by Title IX, as specified; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

124. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the Territory of the United States Virgin Islands, relative to Resolution No. 1820 (Bill No. 31-0153), urging the United States Congress to amend Sec. 11 of the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin Islands, 48 U.S.C. 1591, by repealing the requirement that the governor's official residence is "in the Government House" on Saint Thomas and providing for the Legislature of the Virgin Islands to determine the location of the Governor's residence; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

125. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9, urging the President and Congress of the United States to craft a balanced and workable approach to reduce incentives for and minimize unnecessary patent litigation while ensuring that legitimate patent enforcement rights are protected and maintained; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

126. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly

Joint Resolution No. 7, requesting that the Congress of the United States of America further amend the GI Bill of Rights to make benefits available, with all appropriate safeguards, to all veterans for use as startup capital in the establishment of first businesses; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

127. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, calling upon the President of the United States and the United States Congress to formally and consistently reaffirm the historical truth that the atrocities committed against the Armenian people constituted genocide; jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and Foreign Affairs.

128. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, urging Congress and the President of the United States to reform the short stay admissions criteria for Medicare beneficiaries and to discontinue the two-midnight policy; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. RATCLIFFE:

H.R. 3490.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18—To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. JOLLY:

H.R. 3491.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 3492.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I; Section 8 of the Constitution states "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;"

By Mr. DONOVAN:

H.R. 3493.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18—To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mrs. BLACKBURN:

H.R. 3494.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8—"To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers . . ."

By Mr. DUFFY:

H.R. 3495.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8

By Mr. DUFFY:

H.R. 3496.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 3497.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

U.S. Const. Art. I § 8.

By Mr. HARRIS:

H.R. 3498.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. JOLLY:

H.R. 3499.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. JONES:

H.R. 3500.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 3501.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I

By Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico:

H.R. 3502.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. MCSALLY:

H.R. 3503.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18—To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 27: Mr. FINCHER.

H.R. 140: Mr. FARENTHOLD.

H.R. 155: Mr. GOSAR.

H.R. 225: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 266: Mr. BYRNE.

H.R. 292: Mr. GIBSON, Mr. CARTWRIGHT, and Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 335: Ms. LEE, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. CRENSHAW.

H.R. 348: Mr. WEBSTER of Florida.

H.R. 467: Ms. BROWNLEY of California.

H.R. 494: Mrs. KIRKPATRICK.

H.R. 510: Mr. BRAT.

H.R. 525: Mr. TIPTON and Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 539: Mr. HECK of Washington, Ms. DELAUBO, and Mr. NUGENT.

H.R. 540: Mr. EMMER of Minnesota and Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 592: Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 662: Mr. BISHOP of Michigan.

H.R. 671: Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 692: Mr. PALMER.

H.R. 702: Mr. GUNTA and Mr. DENT.

H.R. 708: Mr. ROSS and Mr. CRAMER.